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And remember, our old friend

Charle Chaplin

will be with us the opening night in

"Easy Street"

Tuesday, Feb. 18th

and every Tuesday of each week he will be here with a new comedy, and can you realize seeing such wonderful shows at 10c.

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10c THEATER

vertisement and one cent will be permitted to Matinee vertisement and one cent will be permitted to Matinee showing at opening of this serial. Next Tuesday Matinee starts 2:00-3:00-4:00 p. m.; night shows 7:00-8:00-9:00-10:00 p. m.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

DeLuxe candies.—77-tf-c
Wanigas at Brunner's.—64-tf
Smoke the best, Wanigas.—64-tf
F. Y. Cooper was in Ithaca on business Monday.

You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers. 02-tf-c
Be sure to see "The Squaw Man," Idlehour, Sunday.—adv.

Excellent attractions at the Idlehour every night.—adv.

J. D. Spinnery, city attorney, was in Ithaca on business Monday.

The Woman's club will meet with Mrs. H. H. Soule Monday, February 17.

After you have tried the rest, try the best. St. Alma Dry Cleaners.—adv.

See Frank McIntyre in "Too Fat to Fight," Idlehour, Wednesday.—adv.

Attorney C. H. Goggin was in Ithaca on legal business Monday and Tuesday.

Mary Pickford takes a milk bath in "Johanna Enlists," Idlehour, Monday.—adv.

Attorney E. J. Lyon of St. Johns was in the city on business the first of the week.

Dr. E. G. Sluyter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones. 57-tf

Fred Slater returned the latter part of last week from a several days business trip to Chicago.

Howard Potter of Ithaca, county school commissioner, was an Alma visitor the latter part of last week.

Morris Messinger left Saturday for Baltimore, Md., where he will visit with relatives for the next few weeks.

President H. M. Crooks of Alma college gives the commencement address at the commencement at Jackson high school tonight.

Pomona grange met at Ithaca Saturday, February 8. Mrs. Dora Stockman of Lansing, lecturer of the state grange, was the speaker.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Bert Eckert, 605 State street, on Tuesday afternoon, February 18.

Mrs. F. A. Bamforth of Big Rapids has returned home after having spent several days visiting with her husband, F. A. Bamforth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ruggles returned the latter part of last week from Daytona, Florida, where they have been spending the past month.

"Home coming" dance at the St. Alma Academy, over the post office, next Monday night. Soldiers and sailors in uniform admitted free.—adv.

C. S. Darragh was in Grand Rapids yesterday purchasing dishes and other equipment for the Gratiot County clubhouse.

Morris Tinckley has received his discharge from the Great Lakes training station and is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. L. Hopkins of this city.

Mrs. E. L. Brown has received word from the Canadian authorities to the effect that her son, Ivan, of the Canadian army, is very ill in a hospital in England.

The Civic Improvement league will hold its February meeting Friday afternoon, February 14. Rev. J. Frank Jackson will address the meeting on the plans for the new reading room.

Ice cream specials for Saturday, Sunday and Monday, February 15, 16 and 17. We will sell chocolate and vanilla ice cream at thirty cents per pound. These are the lowest prices ever offered here on these. De Luxe Candy Company, State street. 81-1-c

The Alma fire department was called out twice Sunday, once to a residence on Orchard street, where a small fire had started. No damage was done. About an hour later the department was called out the second time, again being called to the northwestern part of the city, some dried grass near the railroad having caught fire.

Word has been received here to the effect that J. W. Barron and B. A. Hayes, both former residents of this city, have taken charge of the Virginia Hotel at Columbus, Ohio, having purchased a lease which still has eight years to run. The hotel has 150 rooms and 100 baths. They formerly managed the Favorite hotel at Piqua, Ohio. Mr. Barron will be remembered as a former manager of the Wright House in this city.

Harold is the name of a cunning little pressman who arrived in this city Sunday seeking employment. The young man has an application with The Record for a position, at which he hopes to start in the near future. For the time being he has a pressing engagement coming for his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fandell, of South State street, and is filling their hearts with delight, and causing Leo to wax eloquent when he tells of the new arrival, about whom he never tires when voicing the virtues of the young fellow.

RED CROSS NOTES

Headquarters: south rooms, second floor, Pollasky block; general chairman, Mrs. R. H. Wilcox; auxiliary chairman, Mrs. R. C. Grimm.

Have you sewed at the Red Cross room lately? There is work there to be finished.

The appeal in the last paper for all so inclined to help with Junior fund was in earnest. We need financial aid to make the Lincoln school an auxiliary to be ready to do the allotted health crusade work.

Sometime ago, a circular letter announcing the plan as issued from national headquarters, for organizing the loyal service of men and women who have given 80 hours in the service of the Red Cross, was printed.

The questionnaires to be filled out by those wishing either the certificate or the badge are on hand.

Every worker who has spent the required length of time (80 hours) is entitled to a certificate, free of charge. This certificate entitles the holder to purchase the badge if they so desire, but it is not compulsory that they buy the badge.

Apply for questionnaires at once preparatory to receiving your certificate.

EAST ALMA

Emmett King has sold the contract on his home at the corner of Eastward and Grove to Mrs. Simons for \$1850.

The Kings and the James Wiltshire family leave next week for Alberta, Canada.

The stork visited the Howe family on Sunset avenue last Sunday. Neil McCallum is on a visit to Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sissem of Rosedale entertained Rev. and Mrs. Grierson at dinner last Friday evening.

Floyd White has bought the Salisbury home on Linden avenue and has taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne T. Fairbairn have moved into the house at corner of Cherry and Highland. Clifford Fairbairn who is home from the navy is living with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Irish have moved into a home on Rosedale near Pleasant street. Mrs. Irish is the daughter of Mr. Hunter of Grove avenue.

There was a good meeting of the Parents' club with Mrs. Baird, Pleasant avenue, last week. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Walker, Michigan ave., on Wednesday afternoon, February 19.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. C. Wood, the president, on Eastward st., last week and added \$6.00 to the Eastminster piano fund. This brings the total to \$154. \$46 more will settle up this fund. The piano is a great help in the musical life of the community and every family is being asked to take a share in lifting the burden from the shoulders of Eastminster. The fund should be settled by the end of February. The biscuit quilt is nearing completion and is a beauty. The Ladies' Aid will sell this quilt for \$10 and add to this fund.

There will be services at Eastminster Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Theme: "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" 7:00 p. m.—Theme: "The Faithful Abel and Cain the Villain, a Contrast."

Sunday school meets at 2:45. Miss Soule's class will challenge the whole school for the next six weeks to have "Star" classes. A class without an absentee and "on time" is recognized as a "Star" class.

Revs. Gelston and Grierson and others leave for Detroit the beginning of the week to attend the great inspirational meetings to be held next Tuesday and Wednesday on the New Era movement which is said to be the greatest thing the church has ever undertaken. It is a movement to get the whole church to marshal up behind the task of the church. To be a slacker to the task of the church will be a greater disgrace than the slacker to the task of Uncle Sam.

ARCADA GRANGE

Arcada Grange No. 500 met in regular session Saturday evening, February 8, with W. M. Etta Keefer presiding. The regular order of business took up the early part of the meeting, after which seven candidates were initiated in the first and second degrees. The lecture hour under the direction of Roy Keefer, lecturer, was given over to a memorial program for Ex-President Roosevelt.

Mrs. Byrd Clark gave a sketch of his life, which was followed by a paper by Mrs. Keefer on his literary achievements. Edward Titus spoke on "Roosevelt, the Politician and Statesman." The next meeting will be held Saturday evening, February 22.

"Cured at a Cost of 25 Cents"
"Eight years ago when we first moved to Mattoon, I was a great sufferer from indigestion and constipation," writes Mrs. Robert Allison, Mattoon, Ill. "I had frequent headaches and dizzy spells, and there was a feeling like a heavy weight pressing on my stomach and chest all the time. One bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets cured me and I have since felt like a different person."

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
Dainty lunches gotten up at any hour. It is a specialty at the European Cafe.—77-tf-c

Mary Pickford takes a milk bath in "Johanna Enlists," Idlehour, Monday.—adv.

Be sure to see "The Squaw Man," Idlehour, Sunday.—adv.

Smoke the best, Wanigas.—64-tf



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Tired out and weakened with persistent coughing, elderly people are in no condition to resist disease, and can not easily ward off more serious sickness.

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IDLEHOUR

FRIDAY

WALLACE REID

—in—

"Too Many Millions"

also Fay Tincher in "Some Job"

SATURDAY

NORMA TALMADGE

—in—

"The Safety Curtain"

An exceptionally good picture also Keystone Re-issue Comedy, "Fatty's Canine Friend," with Fatty Arbuckle

SUNDAY

CECIL B. DeMILLE'S

wonderful production of

"The Squaw Man"

also comedy

MONDAY

MARY PICKFORD

in one of the most successful pictures she ever produced

"Johanna Enlists"

also Chapter 5, "Iron Test"

TUESDAY

FRANK KEENAN

in a Triangle Re-issue

"The Thoroughbred"

This is well worth seeing again, also Big-V 2-reel comedy

WEDNESDAY

FRANK MCINTYRE

The noted stage comedian, in

"Too Fat To Fight"

We promise you a real treat—Don't miss this one, also Billy Parson's comedy.

LIBERTY

SATURDAY

PEGGY HYLAND

—in—

"Bonnie Annie Laurie"

also Chapter 6 "Hands Up"

SUNDAY

BIG BILL FARNUM

—in—

"True Blue"

See this, sure! Also "The Water Peril"

COMING ATTRACTIONS

"The Hun Within"—Idlehour

"Laughing Bill Hyde" by Rex Beach—Idlehour

Fatty Arbuckle in "Moonshine"—Idlehour

Clara Kimball Young in "The Reason Why"—Liberty

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